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Re: Applicant: Roger E. Weiss
Serial No.: 09/465,056
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For: Elastomeric Interconnection Device and Methods for Making Same
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Dear Sir:

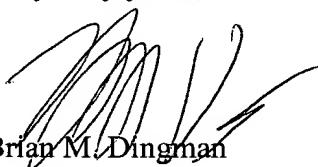
Enclosed is a Response in reply to the Office Action mailed April 11, 2001, in the subject application.

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